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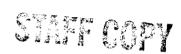
Board Meeting
December 10-11, 2002

Agenda Item
Attachment 3

To request a Time Extension (TE) or Alternative Diversion Requirement (ADR), please complete and sign this form and return it to your Office of Local Assistance (OLA) representative at the address below, along with any additional information requested by OLA staff. When all documentation has been received, your OLA representative will work with you to prepare for your appearance before the Board. If you have any questions about this process, please call (916) 341-6199 to be connected to your OLA representative.

Mail completed documents to:

California Integrated Waste Management Board Office of Local Assistance, (MS 25) 1001 | Street PO Box 4025 Sacramento CA 95812-4025



General Instructions:

For a Time Extension complete Sections I, II, III-A, IV-A, and V.

For an Alternative Diversion Requirement complete Sections I, II, III-B, IV-B and V.

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Section I: Jurisdiction In All respondents must complete t								
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Jurisdiction Name			County					
City of Westmorland			Imperial					
Authorized Signature,			Title					
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Type/Print Name of Person Signing		Date		Phone				
Joe Diaz		January 30, 2002		(760) 344-3411				
Person Completing This Form (please print or type)			Title					
Joe Diaz			Public Works Director					
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Section IIIA—TIME EXTENSION

Within this section, discuss your jurisdiction's progress in implementing diversion programs that were planned to achieve 50%. Provide any additional information that demonstrates "good faith effort." The CIWMB shall determine your jurisdiction's progress in demonstrating "good faith effort" towards complying with AB 939. Note: The answers to each question should be comprehensive and provide specific details regarding the jurisdiction's situation.

Attach additional sheets if necessary—please reference each response to the appropriate cell number (e.g., IIIA-1).

1. Why does your jurisdiction need more time to meet the 50% goal? Describe why SRRE selected programs did not achieve 50% diversion. Identify barriers to meeting the 50% goal and briefly indicate how they will be overcome.

Westmorland was required to do a new base year per compliance order. Its resulting diversion level fell below 25% so the City's compliance order was extended to include programs. Programs were begun in Fall 2001. The resulting diversion has not yet been measured. The City needs more time to continue to implement programs and measure resulting diversion. The City intends to expand on its own some of the work plan programs. If the 50% diversion goal is not met within the 3 year requested extension period, the City may choose to apply for rural reduction. However, should the County JPA form a Regional Agency, Westmorland would, most likely, choose to join as part of the Regional Agency.

2. Why does your jurisdiction need the amount of time requested? Describe any relevant circumstances in the jurisdiction that contribute to the need for a Time Extension.

Because, as stated above, Compliance programs were begun in Fall 2001, the resulting diversion has not yet been measured. The City needs more time to continue to implement programs and measure resulting diversion. Specific reasons why the City needs more time to monitor programs are: 1) MRF was completed in mid-2001, so curbside programs have not yet been in place for one full year. Residents are still learning about recycling. 2) Westmorland School programs just started at the end of 2001. 3) Commercial curbside collection of recyclables is to begin in 2002. 4) Green waste collected by the hauler was not used as ADC in 2000 due to contamination, so accurate diversion tonnage has not yet been recorded for a full year. 5) Multifamily recycling just began at the end of 2001. Hence, all the above programs need to be measured and evaluated for success.

3. Describe your jurisdiction's Good Faith Efforts to implement the programs in its SRRE.

The City has made a great effort to comply with all work plan tasks in its compliance order. In addition, the City intends to enlarge upon some of the programs listed above. For instance, City staff intends to visit residents and businesses door to door, as necessary, to explain programs and encourage participation. Also, the City intends to purchase recycled content products, and to encourage Westmorland School to adopt diversion practices and educate its students about the reasons to recycle. The City participates in regional programs and outreach through the JPA.

4. Provide any additional relevant information that supports the request.

The City is a small rural jurisdiction in northern Imperial County. It is limited in its resources and depends greatly upon the actions of the other larger jurisdictions in the County in terms of contracts with hauler, recyclers, etc.

Section IIIB—ALTERNATIVE DIVERSION REQUIREMENT

Within this section, discuss your jurisdiction's progress in implementing diversion programs that were planned to achieve 50%. Provide any additional information that demonstrates "good faith effort." The CIWMB shall determine your jurisdiction's efforts in demonstrating "good faith effort" towards complying with AB 939. Note: The answers to each question should be comprehensive and provide specific details regarding the jurisdiction's situation.

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1. Why does your jurisdiction need and Alternative Diversion Requirement? Describe why SRRE selected programs did not achieve 50% diversion. Identify barriers to meeting the 50% goal and briefly indicate how they will be overcome.							
2. Why is your jurisdiction requesting an Alternative Diversion Requirement in lieu of a Time Extension?							
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3. Describe your jurisdiction's Good Faith Efforts to implement the programs in its SRRE.							
4. Describe any relevant circumstances in the jurisdiction that contribute to the need for an ADR. Provide any relevant information that supports the request.							
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Section IV A—PLAN OF CORRECTION

A Plan of Correction is required by PRC Section 41820(a)(6)(B). The plan is fundamentally a description of the actions the jurisdiction will take to meet the 50% goal by the expiration of the Time Extension.

Residential %				Non-resi	dential %				
PROGRAM TYPE	NEW or	1	DESCRIPTION OF	PPOGPAN	FUNDING	DATE	EULTV	1 .	
Please use the Board's Program Types. The Program Glossary is online at:	EXPAND	P-AA-Fil	SECONT HONOR	SOURCE	DATE FULLY COMPLETED		ESTIMATED PERCENT DIVERSION		
www.ciwmb.ca.gov/ LGCentral/PARIS/Codes/ Reduce.htm	i I								
Expand program to divert multifamily recyclables	E	In 2001 multifamily recycling bins were distributed to 180 families in multifamily complexes. City intends to expand program to remaining multifamily complexes.					3	2	
Assist in implementation of school waste diversion	N	School recycling containers are delivered. City will visit school to try to encourage participation of all classrooms paid by and staff areas. July 2002 school					2	2	
ncrease public information and outreach activities	E	Distribute information at public events, at City Hail counter, and visit organizations including 4H and senior center. Door to door visits to residents and businesses. City Jan 2003				3	.5		
Expand diversion program for organic materials	E	Diversion of green materials at ongoing cleanup events held 2 times per year. City De				Dec 2003		3	
Increase commercial waste	N	Alternative program to OCC dropoff is curbside collection of cardboard at commercial establishments. This was chosen as more effective and safe than dropoff.				Sept 200	2		
Institutionalize E deconstruction and inerts diversion		Write deconstruction and inerts diversion into future City contracts as possible			City	Dec 2003		1.5	
		Total Estimated Diversion Percent From New and/or Expanded Programs					15	11	
Current Diversion Rate Percent From Latest Annual Repo						ort		39	
	Total Planned Diversion Percent Estimated						50		
	PRO	GRAMS	SUPPORTING	DIVERSION AC	TIVITIES				
PROGRAM TYPE NEW or EXPANDE		NEW or	DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAM				DATE FULLY COMPLETED		
Practice procurement policy N		Policy enacted in January 2002, ongoing			Dec 200			2	

Section V - PARIS

Office of Local Assistance staff will be reviewing your Jurisdiction's Planning Annual Report Information System (PARIS) database printout as part of the evaluation of your request. Should the Jurisdiction have updates or revisions to the program implementation from the latest Annual Report submitted to the Board, please attach to the application the Jurisdiction's PARIS database printout showing updates or revisions.

Contact your Office of Local Assistance Representative at (916) 341-6199 for a copy of PARIS, or go to the Board's website at www.ciwmb.ca.gov/LGCentral/PARIS/.